

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1796
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Fuminobu HIROSE, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 1796

Confirmation No.: 1879

Examiner: Liam J. HEINCER

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For: POLY(3- HYDROXYALKANOATE) COMPOSITION AND MOLDED PRODUCT
THEREOF

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2007, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages. A Petition and payment for a two month extension of time are being filed herewith, making this Response due on or before May 27, 2008.

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